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Federal Opportunities

Learning Anytime Anywhere Partnerships. *The Department of Education* announces funds to enhance the delivery, quality and accountability of postsecondary education and career-oriented lifelong learning through asynchronous distance education. Eligible applicants are partnerships of two or more organizations including institutions of higher education, associations, corporations, and community organizations. A nonprofit organization must serve as the fiscal agent. The deadline for mandatory preapplications is March 15, 2001. Approximately 30-40 awards will be made averaging \$350,000 each. For more information, contact (202) 502-7500 or LAAP@ed.gov. Also see <http://www.ed.gov/FIPSE/LAAP>.

District Opportunities

NEW! Stop Violence Against Women Formula Grant. *The Deputy Mayor for Public Safety and Justice's Justice Grants Administration* announces funds to provide a variety of advocacy and counseling services to adult female victims of domestic violence. The deadline for applications is February 16, 2001. Up to nine awards will be made totaling \$262,130. The Request for Applications is available from the Justice Grants Administration, 441 Fourth Street NW, Room CS120, Washington, DC, 20001. For more information, contact Kimberly Woodard at (202) 727-0872.

Foundation Opportunities

Technical Assistance. *The DC Children and Youth Investment Trust Corporation* is seeking proposals for technical assistance to build the capacity of institutions in Wards 7 and 8, to scale-up their

current efforts and improve their capacity to provide more and better services to underserved children and youth. This RFP solicits proposals from individuals and/or that demonstrate the capacity to assist this identified group of providers in meeting their immediate goals, as well as the larger goals of the Corporation. The deadline for applications is March 5, 2001. A bidder's conference is scheduled for February 8, 2001 at the Latin American Youth Center from 10am to noon. For more information, call (202) 347-4441 or visit www.cyitc.org.

Resources & Announcements

Capacity-Building for Faith-Based Organizations. *The District of Columbia Government* is sponsoring the second in a series of free clinics on Thursday, February 15, 2001 for Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 faith-based organizations interested in strengthening their capacity to apply for competitive grants. The clinic is at the Peoples Congregational United Church of Christ, 4707 13th Street, NW, Washington, DC from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please register no later than February 9, 2001. Space is limited. For information or to register, call the Mayor's Office of Partnerships and Grants Development at (202) 727-6437.

How to Use the Internet to Improve Fund-Raising Efforts. *The Washington Council of Agencies* is hosting a luncheon on February 7, 2001 to assist local organizations with fundraising on the Internet. The seminar will cover areas that will help you raise more money and give you new avenues to acquire donors and donations. For more information or to register, contact Chip Muston at (317) 545-4170 or chip.muston@etapestry.com.